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**REQUEST
FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL**

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Application Number

09/182,911

Filing Date

October 30, 1998

First Named Inventor

Wilks

Art Unit

2674

Examiner Name

J. Lesperance

Attorney Docket Number

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1. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114

a. Previously submitted

i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on _____
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).

ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____

iii. Other _____

b. Enclosed

i. Amendment/Reply

iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

iv. Other Fee Transmittal for FY 2002 (PTO/SB/17)

2. Miscellaneous

a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(l) required)

b. Other _____

3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

a. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-0441

i. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e)	06/03/2002 AWONDAF1 00000075 500441 09182911
ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)	01 FC:173 740.00 CH
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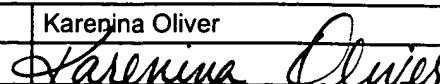
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FEE CALCULATION			
1. BASIC FILING FEE			
Large Entity	Small Entity		
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	
101	740	201 370 Utility filing fee	Fee Paid
106	330	206 165 Design filing fee	
107	510	207 255 Plant filing fee	
108	740	208 370 Reissue filing fee	
114	160	214 80 Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$ 0.00)			
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES			
Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
	-20** = 10	x 18.00	= 180.00
Independent Claims	- 3** = 2	x 84.00	= 168.00
Multiple Dependent			
Large Entity	Small Entity		
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	
103	18	203 9 Claims in excess of 20	
102	84	202 42 Independent claims in excess of 3	
104	280	204 140 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
109	84	209 42 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
110	18	210 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ 348.00)			

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3. ADDITIONAL FEES				
Large Entity	Small Entity			
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description		
105	130	205 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath		
127	50	227 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet		
139	130	139 130 Non-English specification		
147	2,520	147 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination		
112	920*	112 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action		
113	1,840*	113 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action		
115	110	215 55 Extension for reply within first month		
116	400	216 200 Extension for reply within second month		
117	920	217 460 Extension for reply within third month		
118	1,440	218 720 Extension for reply within fourth month		
128	1,960	228 980 Extension for reply within fifth month		
119	320	219 160 Notice of Appeal		
120	320	220 160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal		
121	280	221 140 Request for oral hearing		
138	1,510	138 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding		
140	110	240 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable		
141	1,280	241 640 Petition to revive - unintentional		
142	1,280	242 640 Utility issue fee (or reissue)		
143	460	243 230 Design issue fee		
144	620	244 310 Plant issue fee		
122	130	122 130 Petitions to the Commissioner		
123	50	123 50 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)		
126	180	126 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt		
581	40	581 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)		
146	740	246 370 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))		
149	740	249 370 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))		
179	740	279 370 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		740.00
169	900	169 900 Request for expedited examination of a design application		
Other fee (specify) _____				
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